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**The Manoeuvres of Jane
Chosen as Subject of
Senior Play This Year**

Men and Co-Eds of Upper Class Will Stage Arthur Jones' Light Comedy.—Committee Making Final Arrangements.

The announcement has been made that the annual senior play will this year be held about the end of February. The committee in charge has decided to present "The Manoeuvres of Jane," a light comedy by Arthur Jones. At a meeting yesterday the cast was selected, and will include the following: Misses Goldwater, Burridge, Greggs, Bodie, Longworth, Currie, Linglie, Fritz, Hamilton, Chauvin, and Morgan, and Messrs. MacKeeen, Moody, Henson, Gale, Wilgress, Hamming, MacGuire, McAlpinid and MacTavish. Many of these ladies and

PROF. TRAQUAIR AT THE ORIENTAL

Talks of Influence of
East in Western Art.

THE SACRED TREE

Part of Garden of Eden
Story Entirely Eastern.—Redpath Mu-
seum.

In a singularly lucid and eloquent manner Professor Traquair in a lecture before the Oriental Society Tuesday evening pointed out the influences and counter-influences of Eastern and Western Art on one another.

Archaeologists, the lecturer declared were by no means agreed as to the extent to which the west was influenced by the east, in the matter of architectural design especially. That was still an open question, on which the last word had not been said.

But there was little doubt that to a measurable extent a definite influence, especially noticeable in geometrical tracery, and in color work, had been exercised by the east on western forms.

In the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, when the expansion of Europe took place, there was an immediate inflow of oriental ideas. Chinoloseries became fashionable in the Court of Louis XIV; Chippendale published his book of designs of furniture in the Chinese style; and a pagoda was built at Brighton. Whistler has acknowledged his debt to eastern ideas, and the cult of the Japanese print is in our midst.

One of the oldest artistic motives in the world was the sacred tree, which through literary sources has come down to us in the form of the tree of life—in the Garden of Eden story—guarded by cherubim. The same motive occurs in Persian tiles and carpets as the slender cypress. The yew of the churchyard is probably connected with it, and the same rite is performed in the annual decoration of the Christmas tree.

The lecturer showed how three characteristics in the Babylonian motive of the tree of life, namely, the winged figures, the peculiar palmello form of the foliage tuft, and the curious interlacing form of the branches, formed the basis of, or in various modified forms, blended with, western art forms. Of the second point, an example was noted in the columns of the Redpath Museum of the University.

In that most typically national of all forms of art, architecture, the lecturer showed that little influence had been exercised by the Orient on Greek and other western examples. The tombs of Beni Hassan, were long regarded as the origin of the Doric order of architecture, but that view had long since been abandoned. No theory of a common origin was required; for both these forms, through very similar, were natural building forms, which the natural man if left to himself would produce independently. Greek architecture in its structural forms was of European growth, formed of the native materials, and adopted to native methods of life.

Religious ideas and decorative motives could easily be transferred from place to place, and so the minor arts were in this way constantly being influenced by one and another. Architecture, even to-day, was less influenced by foreign sources than any other art, emblem, material and life formed it, and it remained the supreme reflection of national life.

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READING CONTEST.

It was announced from the Lit. last night that twelve students had applied to try for the chestnut Medallion Reading prize this evening. This is the first year of the contest, and general interest has been displayed in the event. The programme will open at 8.15 o'clock this evening, at the Union.

SUDSBURY, Ont.—R. Dellet, a barber, committed suicide in the White House Hotel bar room on Saturday by taking carbolic acid

FIRST YEAR.

Monday, January 19 9.30 a.m.
Tuesday, January 20 9.30 a.m.
Wednesday, January 21 9.30 a.m.
Wednesday, January 21 2.30 p.m.
Thursday, January 22 9.30 a.m.
Friday, January 23 9.30 a.m.

SECOND YEAR.

Thursday, January 22 2.30 p.m.
Friday, January 23 9.30 a.m.
Friday, January 23 3 p.m.

Conservatives To Hold Their Organization Meeting This Evening

Prime Minister and Cabinet to Be Elected for the
Approaching Mock Parliament Strathcona
Hall Chosen as Scene of Caucus.

The Liberals having arisen in their strength, last Thursday, the Conservatives will arise up in their might tomorrow (Thursday), at the Strathcona Hall, to consider whom they may destroy, and how to destroy them. A permanent organization for this year's Mock Parliament is to be effected.

The chief order of business will be the election of a leader who will be Prime Minister, and have the duty of forming the cabinet. Of scarcely less importance is the election of the chief whip and the assistant whips. The success of the party depends largely on these men, and the organization they can form.

Several of last year's Conservative leaders report that prospects for the party in the McGill Parliament were never brighter, and they are confident that they will be able to repeat the success of last year, when they were victorious in every vote of the House.

They urge Conservatives to be at Strathcona Hall on Thursday at 3 o'clock. Freshmen especially are invited.

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CLASS HOCKEY FIRST OF AT R. V. C? FINE SERIES

Undergrad. Society De-
cides for the Idea.

FANCY SKATING

Club to Meet on Thurs-
day Afternoon to Or-
ganize for Winter.

Prof. Starkey Speaks on
Hygiene.

SEMI-WEEKLY TALK

Tells How Perfect Public
Health Depends on
Hygiene.

Prof. Starkey, of the Department of
Hygiene, yesterday afternoon at the Royal Victoria College, delivered the first of a very interesting course of lectures he projects on Hygiene.

He defined the terms Hygiene and public health, and spoke of the relation of the one to the other. Hygiene, he said, meant the ways and means of keeping the body in perfect health.

Public health were the institutions which prevent disease.

It will be the aim of the lectures to trace the causes of diseases; germs, dampness, gas, the vocations in which those liable to be affected are occupied; and to indicate schemes of a practical nature in dealing with their prevention and cure.

He spoke principally, in his first lecture, on water supplies their distribution, collection, and storage. He pointed out that the best drinking water was clear rain water, secured from clean roofs and stored in water tight tanks free from all possible contamination.

The next and probably all subsequent lectures of the series, will be delivered at the Hygiene Rooms, new Medical Building. They occur Tuesdays and Fridays.

In providing for the teaching of Public Health, universities are brought into a peculiarly close relation with the communities they serve. McGill has in operation a well-equipped department of Hygiene under the charge of Professor Starkey in the new Medical Building. Every medical student receives some instruction in the principles and practice of public health. Graduates may take post graduate courses to qualify for the Diploma of Public Health, which opens to them appointments as medical officers of urban or rural districts. Instruction is also given to those who wish to qualify for the lesser appointments in the public health service. For many years men have by the latter means qualified to become sanitary inspectors.

It is now intended to offer to the public what will be the first-hand knowledge of the subject. Professor Starkey is now giving a course on the general principles of public health, open to students, social workers, and the general public.

The fact that the first lecture is announced to be given at the Royal Victoria College is significant. It suggests the reflection that hitherto nothing has been done to bring opportunities for the study of public health problems within the reach of the women of Montreal.

The social workers of the city are largely women, and the unpaid work connected with the numerous services brought into contact with their professional or voluntary services.

In order to place the course within the reach of the largest possible number of workers, a reduction of fees is to be made for those engaged in professional work, as the Victorian Order of Nurses and the staff of the Charity Organization Society.

If the course, which is really an extension of university teaching, is well received, it should become an established institution, and provide a permanent means of informing women of this aspect of their city's needs.

FIGURE SKATING AND WALTZ-
ING CLUB.

There will be a meeting of the Figure-Skating and Waltzing Club in the Royal Victoria College to elect officers, etc., on Thursday at 5 p.m. All those interested in skating on ice and figure-skating are invited to attend and any, who are unable to be present at the meeting and would like to join please send their names to T. P. Cambridge, Strathcona Hall. The tickets cost 50c, besides a "Campus" ticket. The club will probably meet for skating on Thursday from 8-10. A barrel-organ will supply music, affording those who wish to learn to waltz an excellent chance to do so. It makes no difference whether you have had any experience in skating or figure-skating—come and learn!

PROF. KING TO ADDRESS
PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Paper on "Constitution
of Matter" to Be Read
at Strathcona Hall
Tonight.

Prof. Louis King, the well-known member of the Applied Science teaching staff, has consented to be the speaker before the Philosophical Society this evening. The meetings of this society will be held every alternate Wednesday. He will discuss the "Constitution of Matter."

A paper written by Prof. King was read before the Royal Society this summer by Sir J. Larmour, creating some discussion. Its subject was "The Scattering of and Absorption of Light in Gaseous Media with Application to the Intensity of Sky Medications."

Just a hidden cog somewhere in the inmost part of the college newspaper machine is the reporter. He works under command; he solves the problems assigned to him in his own resourceful way; he loves courtesy, recreation, confidence and human treatment. He feels the pulse beat of the college, he has a hold on the hidden springs of movements, asks questions amid the most inquisitive and bunts ever for the novel, the new and the interesting. His tasks are log-work, done between classes, at meal times or late at night. Each day he turns in his little grit of matter, now a note, now an article, now an interview.

The results of his hour of labor the college public disposes of in two glances. Errors it blames to him. It inquires not into the writer of the things that please it; it expresses appreciation not into the writer of the things that do not please it. The reporter follows his unseen routine faithfully. He labors only for the joy of the work. He gleans his regard in re-reading in the columns of the paper the story which the public knows not in his own—EX.

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FURTHER ARTS RESULTS
AND MORE TO FOLLOW

Education Results Out
Today.—Second Econ-
omics on Friday.

Further results were issued yester-
day. Second Year Mathematics and
Second and Third Year Dynamics of
Particles being posted up. The re-
sults of the course in Education will
probably be given out to-day, while
the students of Second Year Political
Economy will not hear theirs un-
til Friday.

SECOND YEAR.

HONOUR MATHEMATICS.

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Class II—Howard.

Class III—Clark, Fisher, Johnston, equal.

SECOND AND THIRD YEAR.

DYNAMICS OF PARTICLES.

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Class II—None.

Class III—Howard, Fisher, Balston, equal.

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C.O.T.C. NEWS

The regiment will parade Wednesday, 14th, at 5.15, in the Highlander's Armoury, Bleury street.

There will be no lecture on Friday, the 16th, at 5 p.m.

The stores department have received the shoulder badges, which will be issued after Jan. 21st.

Sixteen new uniforms are daily expected. Notice will be given when they arrive.

Seventy-five per cent. of the members of the Corps are inefficient in their drill.

Special hours will be arranged, when every man must make up his deficiencies. These extra drills will take place in the armoury, Sherbrooke street.

The Government gives the corps no money for inefficient members.

Laval has now four companies formed. They have taken hold most enthusiastically of this movement, and are trying to organize another company.

REGIMENTAL ORDER NO. 30.

By order.

Capt. C. M. McKergow, O.C. McGill
C.O.T.C.
Montreal,
January 13th, 1914.

1—Details—
Officer of the week for ending January 17th, 1914:
Lt. H. H. Hemming, C.O.T.C.

Next for duty:
Capt. H. H. Helm, C.F.A.

Orderly Lieutenant:
Col-Sergt. Mifflin.

Next for duty:
Col-Sergt. Murison.

2—Parades—
The regiment will parade in the Bleury street armoury on Wednesday, January 21st, 1914, at 5.15 p.m.

3—Lectures—
The lectures on Friday, January 16th, are cancelled.

4—Examinations—
The elimination examination for Signallers will be held on Wednesday, January 21, during the drill.

By order,
H. H. HELM,
Capt. & Adj.

LEGEND OF BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

If William IV had gained his way Buckingham palace would be serving as parliament house. Two days after the old houses of parliament were burned Lord Brougham, who was then first commissioner of works, records in his diary: "Went to St. James' and saw his majesty. I cannot say he was much affected by the calamity, rather the reverse. He seemed delighted at having an opportunity of getting rid of Buckingham palace, said he meant it to be a permanent gift for parliament and that it would be the fittest thing in Europe. At three o'clock the king went over the ruins. The king looked gratified as if at a show. Just before getting into his carriage he called the speaker and me to him and said: 'Mind, I mean Buckingham palace as a permanent gift. Mind that.'—London Chronicle."

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MACAULAY AND MUSIC.

Macaulay was entirely insensible to the charms of music. We find him writing from Windsor castle on Jan. 14, 1851: "At table I was between the Duchess of Norfolk and a foreign woman who could hardly speak English intelligibly. I got on as well as I could. The band covered the talk with a succession of sonorous tunes. 'The Campbell's are Coming,' was one. And Macaulay's biographer, Sir George Otto Trevelyan, supplies the following instructive footnote: 'This is the only authentic instance known on record of Macaulay's having known one tune from another.'—London Spectator."

ROUND ABOUT THE COLLEGE

TO WHICH EVERYBODY IS A REPORTER.

The campus rink opening, to have been held last night, was postponed on account of the severity of the weather.

There will be no meeting of the Union House committee to-day.

Yesterday afternoon the outside reporter of McGill Daily, in his anxiety for suffering humanity during this bitter weather, thought he would get

an interview with the man who looks after the weather, with a view of getting an amelioration of conditions as they presently exist.

Accordingly he phoned to the McGill Observatory and learned that the tropical heat at 8 a.m. was 27.1 degrees below zero; at noon the thermometer registered 23 degrees, whilst at 4.15 p.m. the silvery liquid was still going up and marked 21.3 below.

THINGS THEATRICAL

HIS MAJESTY'S "AS YOU LIKE IT."

Grand Open does not interest the theatregoers of Montreal, nor does Shakespeare, that is, if a fair audience is taken as the indication of popular appreciation and approval. It is a deplorable circumstance that a winter garden show can come to Montreal and apparently fully satisfy the demands of Montreal's pleasure-seekers, whereas at company, such as the one in which Margaret Anglin has succeeded in earning for herself such an enviable reputation, she would be faced with audience so small.

Though a difficult play—owing to its lightness and width, its depths, its truculence, its characterisation, and its perversion of the laws of dramatic structure—"As You Like It," under this skilful interpretation given it last night, was deserving of the rapt attention which it received.

Margaret Anglin, as Rosalind, though not given the opportunity of her ability that such a play as Antony and Cleopatra will doubtless afford, nevertheless gave a refreshing rendition of the most effective parts in her part and by the ease and gracefulness with which she fits in to the scanty plot that her position in the production of Shakespeare plays is well merited.

Miss Boucaneau, who appears as Celia, displays considerable feeling and possesses the added advantage of a delicate yet rich voice.

The leading male part, that of Orlando, taken by Ian MacLaren, was lacking in that warmth which one would expect.

Felix Medish on his work of last evening in the difficult role of Jaques stands out beyond the shadow of a doubt, as the foremost actor of the company. It is a truism, however, that one who plays in Shakespearean repertoire cannot be finally judged to merit or demerit on his interpretation of one role.

The part of Touchstone taken by Mr. Greenfield was perhaps not as effective as it might be were the audience present to lend the necessary encouragement. The shepherds, the rustic Orlando's faithful old servant and the simpleton in the forest of Ardenites were admirably presented.

It would not be fitting to conclude without having made even casual mention of the effective scenery. Evidently the result of considerable attention to detail as well as of an honest endeavour to be thoroughly consistent in the presentation of this pastoral romance, the scenery, by its coloring and simplicity adds infinitely to the impressiveness of piece. Especially is this true of the scene in the forest when the exiled duke and his band make their initial appearance.

One word more, is it not possible to stimulate a greater interest on the part of the public in plays such as this which at first sight seem somewhat trivial but which in reality are replete with philosophic utterance to which outstanding people such as Margaret Anglin and her talented company are capable of lending the best interpretation?

MARTIN HARVEY IN "THE ONLY WAY."

"The Only Way" which Mr. Martin Harvey will present on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday of his engagement at His Majesty's Theatre, was produced under the auspices of the British Canadian Theatre Organization Society, is a dramatization of Charles Dickens' immortal story of the French Revolution "A Tale of Two Cities".

This is beyond question the most successful stage version of any of Dickens' works that have been produced. Indeed it is known that the great novelist himself had contemplated giving the story of Sidney Carton's sacrifice to the theatre. THE ONLY WAY is put in play with a history which is in itself a picture of real life. The idea of enacting the tale of Carton's great renunciation had been suggested to the author by Mrs. Martin Harvey which discovered the name by which the great play has since become known throughout the English-speaking world. And THE ONLY WAY brought fame and success to the new manager in single night. That was more than a dozen years ago, and still is breaking records.

On Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings "The Breed of the Threshers" is to be the bill while on Wednesday matinee "A Cigarette Maker's Romance" will be the offering.

PRINCESS THEATRE PASSING SHOW OF 1913.

For the tired business man and all lovers of the modern girl and risqué comedy, the Princess Theatre has the best offering this week that has been made to a Montreal audience for many moons.

The Winter Garden show and the annual appearance of the Passing Show in particular have set a standard in this type of amusement to which others have sought more or less vain to attain. This year's Passing Show, however, surpasses even the standard set by its predecessors. In richness of decoration, display of lights, colors and costumes, The Passing Show is quite the most elaborate of the series to date.

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**IRISH-AMERICANS
TO ENTER AT ATHENS**

**Team of at Least 10 Men
to be Sent Over for
Games Next May.**

The Irish-American Athletic club has decided to send at least ten men, headed by Melvin W. Sheppard, hero of several Olympic games, to represent it in the Athenian Olympic games to be held in Athens during May of this year. This team is expected to form the nucleus of a squad from all over the United States who will wear the shield of competition against the pick of many of other nations.

Sheppard, the present track and field captain of the Irish-Americans, was the first man chosen to make the trip, and the athletic committee of the club is said to be unit on the proposition that the best of the athletes of the club should abstain from any serious competition this winter in order that they may be fit for the Athens invasion.

It is anticipated that the men from Boston, Chicago and San Francisco will be included in the makeup of the American team, the expenses of the men to be met by the clubs they represent. In this manner the United States will be enabled to make a good showing, which will be necessary in view of the announced intention of England, Germany, Sweden and France to have competitors on the scene.

The Washington and Lee Basketball team, who last year won the championship of the South Atlantic division, will play fifteen games during the coming season. Eleven games are to be played at home, while eight are to come off on foreign floors.

A FRIEND IN NEED.

The late Joe Jefferson told this story of his childhood days:

"When my parents were travelling in the west we had a hard time to get along, meeting with bad luck in town after town. Finally we came to a little village in Illinois and prepared to give the play. However, the people of this town had recently turned against the theatre, and the license was far beyond what we could pay. We were almost in despair, for our situation was desperate, not enough money to give our play in the town where we were, and not enough to get to the next town."

"Finally my father found a young lawyer who listened to his story with sympathy and promised to help us. He succeeded in getting us a permit to play free of cost. We made good money that night, which carried us on to the next town in comfort."

"I recently played in this same town, which is now the good sized city of Springfield, and I visited the cemetery where that young lawyer now lies. On the stone which marks his grave is carved the name 'Abraham Lincoln.' —Ladies' Home Journal.

GETTING READY FOR ISAAC.

Here is a story told by the Rev. Dr. Hastings of Aberdeen, reproduced in the British Weekly.

"We are in Cambridge, Bishop Ryde, the present dean of Westminster, under contract to handle in Dr. Hastings' 'Dictionary of the Bible' some of the proper names in Genesis. One of them was a little late, and Dr. Ryde sent his editor a wire when it was ready.

Now it was not an unusual thing in those days for some college friend to arrive with little or no notice at the manse, and be greeted by his Christian name.

There are not wanting signs, Mr. Redfern writes in the San Francisco Examiner, that English speaking people the world over are beginning to doubt the accuracy of this position. If English can be the vehicle of some of the world's greatest poetry, why should it not be the vehicle for music also? For music is implicit in poetry; the subtle cadences of well ordered speech are part of a subtle recognition of the truth that needs to fall on the ear of some Wagner of our day to inspire him with "continuous arises" as beautiful as that of "Die Walkure."

There was a time indeed when composers did not disdain to write music to English words. Turn to that beautiful opera in miniature "Dido and Aeneas," the work of the youthful Henry Purcell. Scan the lyrics of Henry Lawes; see how graciously English fitted when the composer was Thomas Morley, the masterful of Queen Elizabeth's time.—C. S. M.

PROSPICIENT SKIES.

A garrulous old negro in a Southern city used to meet in a place of the county court nearly every day on the way to market. Long friendship between the two had let down the bars a little, and the black man's invariable salutation was:

"Morning, Judge; what's the news today, Judge, sah?"

The white man once varied his usual answer, "No news, Jerry," by giving the negro a real debit. "The United States has just declared war against Spain," he said.

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AT HOME AND ABROAD

**A Few Sporting Items
More or Less Interest.**

The ladies of the University of Saskatchewan have made arrangements to hold practices and to arrange inter-year games. The athletics directorate have allowed them hours on the students' rink.

Georgetown University is reported to contemplate the construction of a stadium.

America will be represented by a soccer football eleven at the 1916 Olympic games at Berlin.

Mel Sheppard, one of the greatest half-mile runners the world over knew he was on the track for 13 years.

The Students' Representative Council of the University of Saskatchewan are offering a prize for a new varsity yell.

An unusual disadvantage in skating circles cropped up yesterday when the formal opening of the campus rink was postponed on account of cold. The postponement is indefinite depending on the weather man's whims.

The Notre Dame athletic committee has ordered numbers sewed on the backs of the jerseys of the basketball players, so that spectators may be able to identify the players.

The Harvard rowing committee is experiencing considerable difficulty in signing up Coach James S. Wray. The Australian's figures do not correspond with those that the Harvard authorities think he is worth. Both parties are standing staunchly by their terms, but it is believed that Wray will eventually agree to coach. The Harvard oarsmen will report to-day for indoor rowing in the tanks of the Newell Boat Club.

The Crimson urges that the Harvard Student Council take steps to revive interest in the minor sports of winter. Basketball has already fallen by the wayside, and there is no team representing Harvard at present.

The Washington and Lee Basketball team, who last year won the championship of the South Atlantic division, will play fifteen games during the coming season. Eleven games are to be played at home, while eight are to come off on foreign floors.

A FRIEND IN NEED.

The late Joe Jefferson told this story of his childhood days:

"When my parents were travelling in the west we had a hard time to get along, meeting with bad luck in town after town. Finally we came to a little village in Illinois and prepared to give the play. However, the people of this town had recently turned against the theatre, and the license was far beyond what we could pay. We were almost in despair, for our situation was desperate, not enough money to give our play in the town where we were, and not enough to get to the next town."

"Finally my father found a young lawyer who listened to his story with sympathy and promised to help us. He succeeded in getting us a permit to play free of cost. We made good money that night, which carried us on to the next town in comfort."

"I recently played in this same town, which is now the good sized city of Springfield, and I visited the cemetery where that young lawyer now lies. On the stone which marks his grave is carved the name 'Abraham Lincoln.' —Ladies' Home Journal.

GETTING READY FOR ISAAC.

Here is a story told by the Rev. Dr. Hastings of Aberdeen, reproduced in the British Weekly.

"We are in Cambridge, Bishop Ryde, the present dean of Westminster, under contract to handle in Dr. Hastings' 'Dictionary of the Bible' some of the proper names in Genesis. One of them was a little late, and Dr. Ryde sent his editor a wire when it was ready.

Now it was not an unusual thing in those days for some college friend to arrive with little or no notice at the manse, and be greeted by his Christian name.

There are not wanting signs, Mr. Redfern writes in the San Francisco Examiner, that English speaking people the world over are beginning to doubt the accuracy of this position. If English can be the vehicle of some of the world's greatest poetry, why should it not be the vehicle for music also? For music is implicit in poetry; the subtle cadences of well ordered speech are part of a subtle recognition of the truth that needs to fall on the ear of some Wagner of our day to inspire him with "continuous arises" as beautiful as that of "Die Walkure."

There was a time indeed when composers did not disdain to write music to English words. Turn to that beautiful opera in miniature "Dido and Aeneas," the work of the youthful Henry Purcell. Scan the lyrics of Henry Lawes; see how graciously English fitted when the composer was Thomas Morley, the masterful of Queen Elizabeth's time.—C. S. M.

PROSPICIENT SKIES.

A garrulous old negro in a Southern city used to meet in a place of the county court nearly every day on the way to market. Long friendship between the two had let down the bars a little, and the black man's invariable salutation was:

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FINED LAZINESS

A former dean of the Arts and Sciences of Cornell suggests a new method of ridding that university of students who will not work. He thinks a fine of \$50 should be imposed on those who are constantly about to be dropped from the registrar's rolls, but who seem by the narrowest of margins to keep on the right side of the margin. Those who have been asked to drop their courses, he advises, should be allowed to return and continue their lectures on an extra \$100 a year tuition fee basis.

The dean seems to have found a sort of Royal Road to Learning. The Brown Herald remarks that the rich student would regard the new addition to his expenses as a joke. It adds that the chief result would be only an increase to the registrar's receipts.

PROF. STARKEY'S ADDRESS

One of the most interesting points in the attractive discussion on Hygiene and the Public Health, given by Prof. Starkey at the R. V. C. yesterday, was the announcement about drinking water. He said rain water from roofs was about the best form of drinking water, if properly caught and carefully preserved from contamination. Those who heard his address made mental reservations to keep Tuesdays and Fridays henceforth clear, that they might enjoy the rest of his series of lectures.

EDITORIAL NOTE

In one respect at least the Daily is so far advanced that it may be said to be a little ahead of its time. While publishing details of political doings around McGill University, as far as the Mock Parliament is concerned, it will display absolutely no bias itself. Providence has so arranged it that the editors of the Daily are of opposite political leanings. So that if anything is written in the editorial columns for the one side, it will be thrown in the basket by the editor who did not write it. If the Daily should some time fail to appear, the loss may be placed on the debit side of Politics, for the editors will have destroyed each other.

McGill Twenty-Four Months Ago

From The McGill Daily of Monday, January 15, 1912.

McGill defeated Kingston in the first basketball match of the season on Saturday afternoon. The final score was 35 to 24 and McGill won out on superior team play and an impregnable defence. The match was played in the McGill gymnasium.

Mock Parliament opened its session Saturday night. At an early hour the crowd commenced to assemble in anticipation of an interesting session. The Governor entered in full state and was received with many rounds of applause. After reading his speech His Royal Highness withdrew from the hall and the session's discussions commenced. Each party considers the meeting an unqualified success from its own point of view.

Mission Study Classes To Be Started At The Hall

"Emergency of China"; the New Era in Asia"; "Islam"; the names of some of the interesting Books to Be Studied.

It is planned to start several classes in Mission Study, to be led by competent men. These classes will last as soon as possible, and will last for about five weeks, meeting once a week. Several good books have been recently published, which will form the basis of the studies. One is called "The Emergency in China," by Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott. This is a subject which at once commands the attention of thinking men.

China has furnished the sensation of modern history in the upheaval of recent years, the downfall of the Manchus and the establishment of a Republic. The day that has dawned for China is portentous for the other nations of the world. Dr. Pott, a prominent educator in China, head of St. John's University, Shanghai, has written this attractive and thoroughly reliable book, setting forth the situation as it now exists. Although a brand new book, it has already received an enthusiastic welcome.

Another attractive book is that by Mr. Sherwood Eddy, entitled "The New Era in Asia." This is the outcome of the tour of the East last year by Mr. Mott and Mr. Eddy. It is the very latest thing on a particularly interesting and important situation.

During the past year the Mohammedan world has come in for a great deal of attention, and Dr. Zwemer's wonderful addresses at Kansas City will never be forgotten. His book, "Islam: A Challenge to Faith," will be studied with new interest.

There is no study which tends more to establish the need of the non-Christian world for the Christian faith or to sharpen one's

appreciation of the religion of Jesus than the study of one or more of the great non-Christian religions of mankind. Take that militant, missionary, monotheistic faith, Islam. What is its message, its worship, its ethic, its fruitage in individual character, in social life, and in national progress? These are the vital themes that are treated in this volume. It bears the marks of the scholarship, fervor and vivid style which are associated with the name of Dr. Zwemer.

Perhaps the most interesting of all, however, is Educational Missions, by Dr. James L. Barton.

The broad subject of education has a more popular appeal to-day than ever before. The possibilities of education as a factor in the Christianization of national life are now a foremost subject in missionary circles. College men and women are asking as at no previous time about the nature of education in mission fields, the opportunities and conditions of service of the missionary educator, etc. Dr. Barton, an international authority on this subject and an experienced missionary administrator, answers these and kindred questions in this volume, which is just off the press. It is a book to be studied chiefly by upper classmen.

Another class on "The City Church" will be led by Mr. Hugh Griffith and Mr. John Bradford, Community Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. This will deal more particularly with problems met with in social work in cities and should appeal to all those who are interested in this form of work. All these courses will be more fully explained at the meeting to-night.

CORRESPONDENCE

To my kind friends,

"The Man of Wide Experience": How experienced you are, my friend! I stand in amazement before you, for your experience is so wide and so deep, that only two men working together, adding their learned views, could know, usually so much about life, plays, boys and girls—and yet, you are but one.

You are learned, indeed, and I admired the touch of classical spirit you displayed, when depicting us in the gallery of the R. V. C., with all the men below, faces upraised, like courtiers of Louis the Fourteenth in the chapel of Versailles, turning their backs to the altar—but we are not Queens, my friend; we are women, simple women seeking for justice.

And you are clever, too—so clever that I fancied for a moment you were a woman under the mask of a man, as it is often used nowadays in the

literary tribe; but I quickly discovered my mistake, for I soon perceived the taste of strong and manly pride which flavors your modesty.

And you are so clever, in fact, that you reminded me of a juggler I saw in your expert hands jokes and compliments, irony and apologies are like flying toys—and the question disappears.

May I bring it to light again? I want only this: women (who are not queens, neither stars), do not like to be "ordered," and do not prefer to be "begged" to do something; they want to be "consulted"—you have, in today's article, consented to adopt that point of view; for that, we thank you—but not for your letter. You are a Man of Wide Experience; then do not argue for tradition, for we argue for something higher, Justice—and let me believe we may be granted that, or I will sign myself despairingly.

A DISABUSED WOMAN.

PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST IN R.V.C.

Students Act as Judges; No Manuscript to Be in Evidence; Candidates Given Half Hour of Preparation.

The impromptu public speaking contest will be held to-day at half-past three in the Common Room. Twenty candidates have entered, so the meeting promises both interest and variety.

To add further zest to the proceedings, Mrs. Harold Wilson, who was President of the Society in 1910-11, will officiate as judge. Another new element has been introduced by the fact that it is to be the members of the society who will act as judges; each one voting by ballot on the best four speakers.

The rules are as follows:

1. Each candidate shall speak from 2 to 5 minutes.

2. No manuscript of any description shall be used.

3. Academic dress must be worn by all candidates.

4. The candidates will receive their subjects at three o'clock in the Common Room.

They cannot do better than close with the word of encouragement on the poster, "Spout thy splendidest for a minute." The President of the Delta Sigma offers a special prize to the one who can quote the context.

SUPPER IS TO BE HELD AT THE HALL

Community Secretary of Y.M.C.A. to Address Meeting Friday.

On Friday next there will be a supper at Strathearn Hall for all those who have been engaged in Bible Study and others who plan to take up either this or Mission Study.

Many of the Bible Study groups will continue for several more weeks. Others have completed their courses, and will proceed with Mission Study. Mr. John Bradford, Community Secretary, will preside, and will deliver an address. He has numerous openings for men in boy's work and in teaching English to foreigners, and is anxious to secure more workers from McGill.

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